Spill Summary Report for NRC Report #1222639

Report Date: 8/3/2023 Report Time: 3:31 PM EDT

Region IV Hotline Log Entry Information

Data ID: 2414464

Material Type: Haz Receiver:

Material / Amount: AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS (0 UNKNOWN AMOUNT);

City: LINCOLN County: TALLADEGA

State: AL
Latitude:
Longitude:

Source of Pollution: TANNER INDUSTRIES

Water Body:

Location:

State Or EPA Responded: forwarded to state

Initial EPA Action: no errpb response necessary

Status: 2 - Closed

URL:

Associated Action Reports

Associated Action Reports			
taID: 1188754			
Date: 8/25/2018	Time: 06:18		
Duty Officer/Responder Name: Englert	NRC Report #: 1222639	Hotline Log DataID: 2414464	
Action Information			
Description: Spoke to reporting party. Odor is from a floor drain but FD can't find a source. They are having a contractor come out to investigate further.			
Follup-Up:			
Person Contacted			
Name: See NRC Report			
Organization:			

DataID: 1189462

Date: 8/27/2018	Time: 14:34	
Duty Officer/Responder Name: Englert	NRC Report #: 1222639	Hotline Log DataID: 2414464

Action Information

Description: Got following update from Grady Springer with ADEM

Brian,

Phone #:

FYI.

Grady Springer

Office of Emergency Response, Coordinator

Montgomery Field Office

Alabama Department of Environmental Management

1350 Coliseum Boulevard Montgomery, Alabama 36107 www.adem.alabama.gov

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From: Hughes, Scott

Sent: Monday, August 27, 2018 12:10 PM

To: Dean, Glenda

Cc: Lutz, Daphne Y; Cobb, Steve; Rogers, Paul; Springer, Grady

Subject: NRC#1222639--Tanner Industries--

Glenda,

Per our discussion in the staff meeting here is a copy of the NRC report and some initial info from Paul. Once on-scene we discovered that the released material is Ammonium Hydroxide. Apparently they use Anhydrous Ammonia to make that chemical. It appears that they have several large ASTs with the capacity to store around 80,000 gallons of either Anhydrous Ammonia or Ammonium Hydroxide and the release was a result of either an AST or the associated piping.

The site has been secured by HEPACO and it does not appear that any material made it to the Coosa River. As we discussed, the major focus now is on excavating the impacted soil. I will be tied up in the hearing room all afternoon so Paul will be your best point of contact if you need additional information.

Scott

From: Rogers, Paul

Sent: Saturday, August 25, 2018 7:59 AM

To: Springer, Grady Cc: Hughes, Scott Subject: Re: NRC#1222639

Yes, Mark Orr was in contact with them early this morning. They hired HEPACO, who discovered liquid anhydrous ammonia pooled in the woods between the facility and the Coosa River. Mark is on his way to the scene now and will keep me

Paul

Follup-Up:

Person Contacted

Name: Grady Springer **Organization:** ADEM Phone #:

NRC Spill Report

NATIONAL RESPONSE CENTER 1-800-424-8802

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Incident Report # 1222639

INCIDENT DESCRIPTION

*Report taken by NRC at 01:51 on 25-AUG-18

Incident Type: FIXED Incident Cause: UNKNOWN

Affected Area:

Incident was discovered on 25-AUG-18 at 01:13 local incident time.

Affected Medium: AIR

REPORTING PARTY

Name: FRANCIS BRAMBLE

Organization: TANNER INDUSTRIES Address: 180 LOMAR DR

LINCOLN, AL

PRIMARY Phone: (215)2394239

Type of Organization: PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

SUSPECTED RESPONSIBLE PARTY

FRANCIS BRAMBLE Organization: TANNER INDUSTRIES 180 LOMAR DR Address:

LINCOLN, AL

PRIMARY Phone: (215)2394239

Type of Organization: PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

INCIDENT LOCATION

180 LOMAR DR County: TALLADEGA

City: LINCOLN State: AL

RELEASED MATERIAL(S)

CHRIS Code: AMA Official Material Name: AMMONIA, ANHYDROUS

Also Known As:

Qty Released: 0 UNKNOWN AMOUNT

DESCRIPTION OF INCIDENT

CALLER RECEIVED NOTIFICATION THAT THERE IS AN ODOR OF ANHYDROUS AMMONIA EMANATING FROM THEIR FACILITY. LOCAL FD IS ON SITE AT THIS TIME. THE EXACT SOURCE OF AMMONIA

IS UNKNOWN.

INCIDENT DETAILS

Package: N/A Building ID:

Type of Fixed Object: CHEMICAL FACILITY Power Generating Facility: UNKNOWN

Generating Capacity:

Type of Fuel:

NPDES:

NPDES Compliance: UNKNOWN

IMPACT

Fire Involved: NO Fire Extinguished: UNKNOWN

INJURIES: NO Sent to Hospital: Empl/Crew: Passenger: FATALITIES: NO Empl/Crew: Passenger: Occupant:

EVACUATIONS: NO Who Evacuated: Radius/Area:

Damages: NO

Closure Type Description of Closure Closure Closure Closure

Air: NO

Road: NO Major Artery: NO

Waterway: NO

Track: NO

Passengers Transferred: NO Environmental Impact: UNKNOWN

Media Interest: UNKNOWN Community Impact due to Material:

REMEDIAL ACTIONS

FD ON-SCENE

Release Secured: UNKNOWN Release Rate:

Estimated Release Duration:

WEATHER

Weather: UNKNOWN, "id1525F

ADDITIONAL AGENCIES NOTIFIED

Federal:
State/Local:

State/Local On Scene: FD

State Agency Number:

NOTIFICATIONS BY NRC

ALABAMA DEPT OF ENV MGMT (MAIN OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (334)3944382

ALABAMA DEPT OF ENV MGMT (BIRMINGHAM FIELD OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (334)3944382

AL U.S. ATTORNEY'S OFFICE (COMMAND CENTER)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (205)2442188

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL (GRASP)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (770)4887100

DHS DEFENSE THREAT REDUCTION AGENCY (CHEMICAL AND BIOLOGICAL TECHNOLOGIES DEPARTMENT)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (703)7673477

DOT CRISIS MANAGEMENT CENTER (MAIN OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (202)3661863

U.S. EPA IV (MAIN OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:57 (404)6504955 R4 PAGER

U.S. EPA IV (DUTY OSC)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (404)6504955

JFO-LA (COMMAND CENTER)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (225)3366513

NATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE COORD CTR (MAIN OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (202)2829201

NOAA RPTS FOR AL (MAIN OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (206)5264911

DOI FOR REGION 4 (MAIN OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (404)3314524

ALABAMA EMA (MAIN OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (205)2802312

TSA OFFICE OF SECURITY OPERATIONS (SURFACE COMPLIANCE BRANCH SE REGION)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (904)9804075

USCG DISTRICT 8 (MAIN OFFICE)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (504)5896225

USCG DISTRICT 8 (PLANNING)

25-AUG-18 01:55 (504)6712080

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION